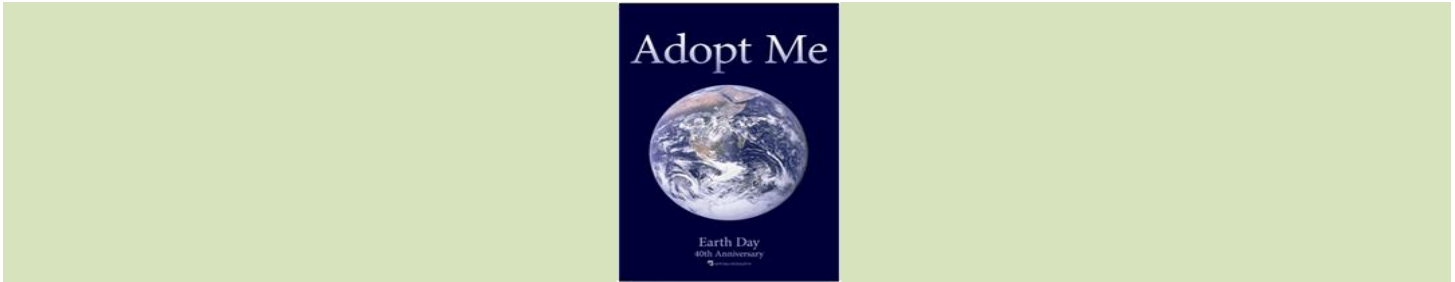


Operation Green Team Hosts Keep America Beautiful's Earth Day 2015 April 18, 10am to 2 pm at Hays Nature Preserve



Earth Day, coming up on April 22, is now in its **45th** year of commemorating the day that many historians recognize as the birth of the modern environmental movement. Organized by Gaylord Nelson, a senator from Wisconsin who noticed that serious concern about environmental degradation was obvious everywhere. With help, Nelson helped organize a nationwide grassroots celebration on April 22, 1970, that eventually included more than 20 million people. Earth Day remains a watershed event in the environmental movement.

The **City of Huntsville's Operation Green Team** hosts **Keep America Beautiful's Earth Day** annually at the **J.D. and Annie S. Hays Nature Preserve**, an idyllic location on the Flint River. The cool green of trees bursting into leaf, combined with the songs of migratory birds provides a peaceful backdrop for this free family event.

More than 10,000 attended Earth Day at Hays Nature Preserve in 2014.

As this is a free festival, no exhibitors will be allowed to sell this year. Exhibitors may advertise their organization or products.

Operation Green Team can set up one 6' table for each organization participating. You are welcome to bring other tables and chairs.

Organization Name: _____

Website: _____ Contact person: _____

Day Phone: _____ Email: _____

FAX TO: 256-427-5172 or email to green.team@huntsvilleal.gov

DEADLINE FOR APPLICATION IS April 1st, 2015

As always, there is no charge to attend or to be an exhibitor.

**IF YOU WOULD LIKE TO SET-UP ON FRIDAY, APRIL 17TH PLEASE LET US KNOW.
STAFF WILL SECURE THE AREA OVERNIGHT.**

All exhibitors ***must be*** set up in the exhibit area by 9am on April 18th (with parking in the VIP field) and ***remain until 2 p.m.*** There will be volunteers to help get materials to and from the exhibit area.

In case of inclement weather, the event will be cancelled.

Need More Info or Maps: Go to www.huntsvilleal.gov/greenteam or Operation Green Team 256-532-5326

Office Use Only: Friday Set-up Time _____ # of Tables _____ Tent _____ Area _____